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HOUSE BILL 26

By Sanderson

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, relative to requiring registration plates to bear the language "In God We Trust".

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

- (a) All registration plates issued or renewed pursuant to this chapter shall include the language "In God We Trust".
- (b) The department of revenue shall redesign the registration plates in such a manner as determined by the commissioner as will permit the display of the language required by subsection (a).
- (c) The redesign of any registration plates provided for in this section shall only be effectuated upon the existing inventory of the registration plates in that particular plate category being utilized by the department.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to plates issued or renewed on or after such date.